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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Shinichirou OMATSU, et al.

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EXAMINER: FRANCIS, F. August 10, 2006 FILED:

METHOD OF MANUFACTURING TONER FOR:

## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME **UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

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It is hereby requested that a one month extension of time be granted to January 14, 2010 for
filing a response to the Official Action dated:
responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). An Amendment under 37 CFR § 1.114 is filed herewith.
filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
The required fee of \$130.00 is being made by credit card payment online (if electronically filed), or is attached hereto (if paper filed), and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. <u>15-0030</u> .

Respectfully Submitted,

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